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TARGET FOR OPENING OF NEW POST OFFICES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the target fixed regarding the number of new post offices and branch post offices to be opened in Maharashtra during the last two years;

(b) whether the target has been achieved, district-wise; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD)

(a) & (b) Two (2) Departmental Sub Post Offices and 25 Extra Departmental Branch Post Offices were given as target for opening Post Offices in Maharashtra in 2003-04. The targets were fully achieved.

No Plan targets were given in 2004-05 for opening new Post Offices. However, two justified Departmental Sub Post Offices were opened through relocation of existing post offices. District-wise details of Post Offices opened in the last 2 years are given in the Annexure.

(c) Does not arise in view of (a) & (b) above.

Annexure

District-wise details of Post Offices opened in Maharashtra in the last 2 years

Sl.No.	District	2003-04	
		DSO	EDBO
1.	Aurangabad		1
2.	Beed		0
3.	Dhule	1	1
4.	Nandurbar		0
5.	Nasik		1
6.	Nanded		1
7.	Jalgaon		1
8.	Osmanabad		1
9.	Ratnagiri		1
10.	Kolhapur		1
11.	Sangli		0
12.	Thane	1	2
13.	Raigad		1
14.	Mumbai		0
15.	Satara		2
16.	Solapur		1
17.	Ahmednagar		3
18.	Pune		2
19.	Akola		1
20.	Amravati		1
21.	Buldana		1
22.	Gondia		1
23.	Gadchiroli		1
24.	Nagpur		0
25.	Yeotmal		1
Total:	2	25	

Sl.No.	District	2004-05		Remarks
		DSO	EDBO	
1.	Pune	2	--	Opened by relocation

EDBO: Extra Departmental Branch Post Office

DSO: Departmental Sub Post Office. **********